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FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

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INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY COLOMBO

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

AMEMBASSY MBGADISCIO

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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SUBJ: TANZANIAN DEMONSTRATION AGAINST US POLICIES

REF: DAR ES SALAAM 329 (NOTAL)

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QM SUMMARY: AS MANY AS 1,000 YOUNG TANZANIANS HELD DEMONSTRATION IN FRONT OF EMBASSY MORNING FEBRUARY 4. ALTHOUGH BILLED AS PROTEST AGAINST US INDIAN OCEAN POLICY, SIGNS AND EXHORTATIONS COVERED WATERFRONT. EVENT WAS MILD AND PEACEFUL. SMALL DELEGATION DELIVERED PROTEST NOTE TO EMBOFF. END SUMMARY.

2. DEMONSTRATION CITED REFTTEL TOOK PLACE AS SCHEDULED. SOME 1,000 TANZANIANS, MOSTLY YOUNG CHILDREN RELEASED FROM CLASS, TOOK PART UNDER AUSPICES OF TANGANYIKA AFRICAN NATIONAL UNION YOUTH LEAGUE (TYL) AND AFRO-SHIRAZI PARTY (ASP) OF ZANZIBAR. GROUP MARCHED FROM TYL HQ TO EMBASSY. WELL-ORGANIZED PROTEST WAS EQUIPPED WITH SOUND TRUCK FROM WHICH SPEECH WAS MADE IN FRONT OF EMBASSY. EVENT WAS TOTALLY PEACEFUL. HOLIDAY ATMOSPHERE PREVAILED THROUGHOUT EVENT. THERE WAS ADEQUATE POLICE PROTECTION.

3. THREE-MAN DELEGATION LED BY TYL ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL CAPT. SHIJA DELIVERED PROTEST NOTE TO EMB. POL. OFF. IN ACCEPTING NOTE, EMBOFF ASKED SHIJA IF TYL WOULD BE INTERESTED IN RECEIVING STATEMENT OF AMERICAN POLICY ON INDIAN OCEAN. TAKEN ABACK BY QUESTION, SHIJA SAID IF EMBASSY WISHED TO SEND STATEMENT, TYL WOULD RECEIVE IT. (EMBASSY WILL FORWARD STATEMENT OF US POLICY LATER IN WEEK.) TYL/ASP STATEMENT CONDEMNED "PRESENCE OF AMERICAN FLEET OF WARSHIPS IN INDIAN OCEAN". IT LINKED PRESENCE OF AMERICAN WARSHIPS "IN OUR VICINITY" AS STYLE OF "MILITARY PREPARATION FOR INVASION AND INTERVENTION AS THOSE STAGED AGAINST THE PEOPLES OF VIETNAM, CAMBODIA, LAOS, KOREA, CUBA, SANTA DOMINGO, CHILE THE MIDDLE EAST AND ELSEWHERE." STATEMENT URGED "IMPERIALIST GOVERNMENT TO ORDER THE IMMEDIATE REMOVAL OF THE FLEET OF WARSHIPS FROM THE INDIAN OCEAN---THE ZONE OF PEACE." (TEXT IS BEING POUCHED TO AF/E).

4. FEW SIGNS CARRIED BY YOUTHFUL DEMONSTRATORS DEALT WITH INDIAN OCEAN. MOST CONCERNED UNRELATED ISSUES: "AMERICANS LEAVE AFRICA", "AFRICA WILL BE FREE", AND "AMERICAN IMPERIALISM SHOULD BE DESTROYED FOREVER".

5. COMMENT: SO FAR, TANGOV HAS NOT MADE OFFICIAL STATEMENT ON RECENT DEVELOPMENTS CONCERNING USG POLICY IN INDIAN OCEAN. END COMMENT.

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